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In addition, applicant would like to bring the Examiner's attention to the following applications, all of which may be related to the present application:


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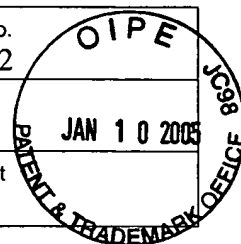
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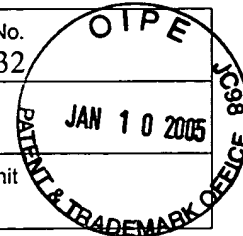
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